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SUBJECT: CASE OF ARGENTINE NATIONALS, LILIANA GRACIELA VOGLER AND GUILLERMO CLAUDIO VOGLER

1. DEPARTMENT WOULD APPRECIATE WHATEVER ASSISTANCE EMBASSY CAN PROVIDE IN THE CASE OF THE VOGLERS, WHOARE UNDER DETENTION.

2. LILIANA GRACIELA VOGLER WAS ARRESTED ON JUNE 23, 1975, APPARENTLY AS A RESULT OF THE EARLIER ARREST OF HER BOYFRIEND. SHE WAS BORN ON JUNE 17, 1958, AT RIO CUARTO, CORDOBA, ARGENTINA. LILIANA IS BEING HELD AT VILLA DEVOTO.

3. HER FATHER, GUILLERMO CLAUDIO VOGLER, WAS ARRESTED IN DECEMBER 1975 REPORTEDLY AS A RESULT OF INQUIRIES HE WAS MAKING ON HIS DAUGHTER'S BEHALF. HE WAS BORN AT GENERAL CABRERA, CORDOBA, ARGENTINA ON MAY 13, 1925, AND
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IS BEING HELD AT UNIDAD NUEVE AT LA PLATA PRISON.

4. THE MOTHER AND WIFE, MRS. LUZ VOGLER, IS CURRENTLY RESIDING IN BUENOS AIRES AND CAN BE REACHED THROUGH HER SISTER, ESTER CASAIS, AT PARAGUAY 1881, C 1142.

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" CLAUDIO IS THE BROTHER
5. AMERICAN INTEREST. GUILLERMO CLAUDIO IS THE BROTHER OF AN AMERICAN CITIZEN, ELZA JUANA VOGLER DE FOURNESS, WHO LIVES IN CALIFORNIA. SENATOR CRANSTON, REPRESENTATIVE MILLER AND AMNESTY INTERNATIONAL ARE INTERESTED IN THIS CASE. WE UNDERSTAND THAT AN INS PETITION HAS BEEN APPROVED FOR THE VOGLERS AND ALREADY FORWARDED TO THE EMBASSY.

6. MRS. LUZ VOGLER IS APPARENTLY FEARFUL THAT SHE TOO MIGHT BE ARRESTED. SHE HAS, THEREFORE, BEEN RETICENT IN COMMUNICATING WITH THE FOURNESSES. SHE IS BEING ADVISED, HOWEVER, TO CONTACT MS. THAYER OR MR. STEVEN OF THE EMBASSY IN THE HOPE THAT MORE CAN BE LEARNED ABOUT THE CASE. THE FAMILY APPARENTLY HOPES THAT THE VOGLERS MIGHT BE ALLOWED TO LEAVE ARGENTINA IF THEY HAD A VISA TO ANOTHER COUNTRY. ARA/ECA ADVISED THE FOURNESSES THAT POSSESSION OF A VISA DID NOT SEEM TO INFLUENCE THE GOA BUT THAT THE EMBASSY WOULD TRY TO BE HELPFUL IF IT COULD.

7. EMBASSY SHOULD ALSO BE AWARE THAT THERE IS CONSIDERABLE PRESSURE BY HUMAN RIGHTS ORGANIZATIONS IN THE UNITED STATES TO DO SOMETHING FOR ARGENTINE PRISONERS SUCH AS THE VOGLERS. THE DEPARTMENT HAS RESPONDED THAT IT IS
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HIGHLY UNLIKELY THAT A PAROLE PROGRAM COULD BE INSTITUTED IF THE ARGENTINES REFUSE TO REINSTITUTE THE RIGHT OF OPTION. THIS RIGHT WAS, OF COURSE, SUSPENDED AFTER THE VOGLERS WERE JAILED AND PERHAPS IS AVAILABLE TO THEM.
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